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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Group Art Unit:

ROBERT PARET et al Examiner:

Serial No.: US National Phase of  
PCT/FR2003/002591

Filed: concurrently herewith

For: DEVICE FOR INJECTING A TREATMENT GAS INTO A MOLTEN METAL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** are found on page 4 of this paper.